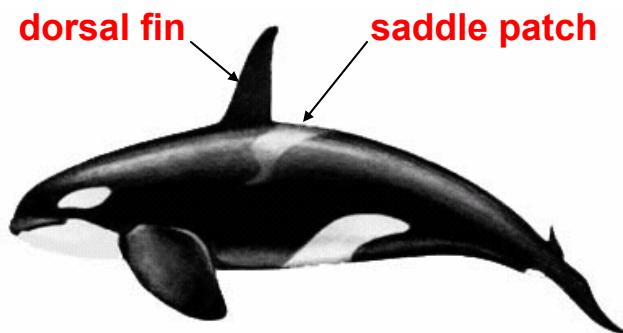


We Need Your Help with L98!



We have limited information on killer whales when they are outside of the Puget Sound area. NOAA Fisheries and Fisheries and Oceans Canada are asking you to report any killer whale sightings. If you're already reporting to an established sighting network, please continue to do so; or **PLEASE CONTACT** NOAA Fisheries with the following information:

- ❖ Time, date, location (latitude & longitude if possible)
- ❖ Total number of whales
- ❖ Total number of male whales (very tall dorsal fin)
- ❖ Direction the whale(s) are traveling
- ❖ Take photographs if possible. Individual whales can be identified by unique markings on their dorsal fin and saddle patch (see picture below).
- ❖ Please stay at least 100 meters or 100 yards away from the animal(s) during your observations!



E-mail killer whale information to:

LPodAlert@noaa.gov

Or call: 206-302-2439